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No fee is believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required in connection with the filing of this paper to account No. 50-2620 (order no.9165-US-PA-0P)

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Commissioner for Patents 220 20th Street South Customer Window, Mail Stop Amendment Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03 Arlington, Virginia 22202

## Dear Sir:

The Office Action mailed on June 15, 2004 (Paper No. 5272004) has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.